COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of

A JOINT APPLICATION OF DANNY PRESTON)
AND BETTY PRESTON, DAVIS BRANCH ROAD,)
VAN LEAR, KENTUCKY 41265 AND JUPITER)
GAS COMPANY, INC., A KENTUCKY)
CORPORATION WITH ITS PRINCIPAL PLACE)
OF BUSINESS AT 865 SPARTA COURT,)
LEXINGTON, KENTUCKY 40504 FOR THE)
SALE AND PURCHASE OF ALL ISSUED AND)
OUTSTANDING SHARES OF JOHNSON COUNTY)
GAS COMPANY, INC., A KENTUCKY)
CORPORATION WITH ITS PRINCIPAL PLACE)
OF BUSINESS LOCATED IN VAN LEAR,)
JOHNSON COUNTY, KENTUCKY 41265

CASE NO. 8966

ORDER

On April 30, 1984, Hubert P. Daniels, by counsel, filed a Motion to Terminate Certificate of Convenience and Necessity of the Johnson County Gas Company ("Johnson County Gas") and requesting that the Commission disapprove and set aside as void the joint application herein and impose penalties pursuant to KRS 278.990(1).

The Motion states, among other things, that over a period of years the operations of Johnson County Gas have blalantly and publicly misused, wasted and converted the funds and properties of the system.

The Commission, having considered the Motion and being advised, is of the opinion and finds that the Motion should be treated as a Motion to Intervene.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED That the Motion be and it hereby is treated as a Motion to Intervene, said Motion to be considered at the hearing in this proceeding, when scheduled.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 11th day of May, 1984.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

For the Commission

ATTEST:

Secretary